

STOPPING THE RUNAWAYS.

CLEVELAND'S BIG LEAD OF A WEEK AGO CUT DOWN TO A FEW POINTS.

New York Makes an Extra Sport of the Hat, and Wins the Last Chance at Baltimore-Brooklyn Takes Three Straight from Washington-The Chicago Cots Fright.

Two successive defeats at the hands of the Chicago Club have brought the Clevelanders down to within easy reach of both Brooklyn and Pittsburgh. Their teams recently have been playing winning ball. New York was successful yesterday, but the team had to use the hat lively to get there. It has been rather an unfortunate week for Philadelphia and St. Louis, but the Chicago and Boston have shown remarkable strength, which, if maintained, will soon make both dangerous competitor for the prize. The results yesterday were:

New York, 16; Baltimore, 11.

Brooklyn, 7; Washington, 1.

Boston, 15; Philadelphia, 4.

Chicago, 15; Cleveland, 5.

Pittsburgh, 8; St. Louis, 7.

THE RECORD.

Feb. 16, New York, 16; Feb. 17, Baltimore, 11.

Feb. 18, Boston, 15; Feb. 19, Philadelphia, 4.

Feb. 20, Chicago, 15; Feb. 21, Cleveland, 5.

Feb. 22, Pittsburgh, 8; Feb. 23, St. Louis, 7.

Feb. 24, Washington, 1.

Feb. 25, Baltimore, 11; Feb. 26, Brooklyn, 7.

Feb. 27, Philadelphia, 4; Feb. 28, Chicago, 15.

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